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Applicant:	Michael Hallek et al.	Art Unit:	1636
Serial No.:	09/720,066	Examiner:	Marvich, M.B.
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Title:	AAV SCLEROPROTEIN, PRODUCTION AND USE THEREOF		

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for replying to the Office action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on May 18, 2004 be extended for three months, to and including November 18, 2004.